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Applicant: Josef W. Schwarzli et al.

Our Reference: 1824-11/MBE

Title: VENDING MACHINE TRACKING SYSTEM

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated February 18, 2005 (copy enclosed), we enclose a Declaration/Power of Attorney document for filing in this application.

Applicant claims small entity status.

Our check in the amount of **\$65.00** is enclosed in payment of the late declaration surcharge.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in the enclosed fees to our Deposit Account No. 500663. A signed duplicate of this letter is enclosed for this purpose.

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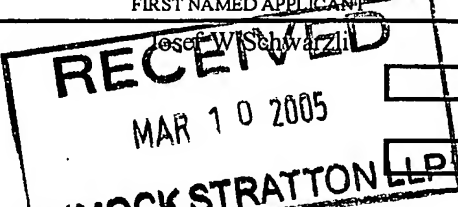
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 08/24/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 08/24/2004
- Oath or Declaration filed on 08/24/2004
- Small Entity Statement filed on 08/24/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 08/24/2004
- Priority Documents filed on 08/24/2004

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- \$65 Surcharge for providing the oath or declaration later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(e)) is required.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity:

- \$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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